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Carol and everyone -- The attached letter is from Senator Bob Bennett and Rep. Rob Bishop requesting that Jim Martin meet with officials from Park City early next week regarding the repository issues at Park City. Shirley Kelley reports that Jim is booked on Monday, but could meet with these folks after 3:00 on Tuesday. Of course, he would need time for a pre-briefing -- maybe during his lunch that day.

Please let me know ASAP if you are available to: 1) attend such a meeting; and 2) prepare Jim for it.

In addition, we will need to prepare a response to the Senator and Congressman. But first, let's see if we can accommodate the meeting next week.

Many thanks!

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Request for a meeting with Adminsitrator Martin

Good Morning -

I just spoke with Jim in your office and he suggested that I forward a copy of this letter to you. The letter is a meeting request from Congressman Bishop and Senator Bennett.

Jim also suggested that I leave a voicemail for you, which I did, and that voicemail contains the same

information as this email.

We would like to set up a meeting either tomorrow or early next week with Administrator Martin to discuss the issue covered in the letter. We are willing to fly to Denver for the meeting. In attendance from Park City will be the Mayor, our City Manager and a few City staff members.

Could you call me on my mobile phone as soon as possible? That number is 435.901.2802.

Thank you very much.

Diane Foster

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EPA Park City Meeting Request from Congressman Bishop & Senator Bennett - June 1 2010.pdf

Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

June 1, 2010

Mr. James Martin Regional Administrator U.S. EPA Region 8 1595 Wynkoop Street Denver, CO 80202 – 1129

Dear Administrator Martin,

Park City is in the process of expanding its public transit facility which requires the removal of mine waste from the construction site to an appropriate storage facility. According to Park City's records, in 2007 EPA Region 8 approved the future hauling of 34,000 cubic yards of mine waste from this public transit site to the EPA-approved repository at Richardson Flat. Recently Park City's access to the repository was halted terminating its ability to haul the approved soils from the public transit site.

It is my understanding, based on communications between our offices and your staff that access to the repository was halted based on the belief that Park City exceeded the city's total allocation of 101,920 cubic yards authorized in July 2007 for multiple projects, which included the 34,000 cubic yards for the public transit site. Park City disputes this claim and argues their total usage is considerably lower.

The mine waste is currently sitting on the transit facility site and will eventually shut down construction until the waste can be removed, and the Richardson Flat repository appears to be the only feasible dumping facility. Shutting down the project will cost the city money and put people out of work. We hope this can be avoided.

We are requesting that you and any appropriate EPA staff meet with Dana Williams, Liza Simpson, Tom Bakaly, Mark Harrington and Diane Foster from Park City. The meeting will allow the EPA and Park City to work out any record discrepancies as well as craft a solution to the current embargo.

If either of our offices can be of assistance to facilitate this meeting please contact our offices. Diane Foster with Park City will be the contact to arrange a meeting. She can be reached at 435-615-5151.

Sincerely,

Robert F. Bennett United States Senator Rob Bishop

Member of Congress